

already installed;

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calculating a payment amount of amortization payment for both facility cost of the installed energy conservation support device and facility cost of the additional energy generator when it is installed; and

comparing the reduced portion of the expenses with the payment amount and displaying the comparison result for supporting the decision of whether the energy generator should be installed or not.

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#### R E M A R K S

Claim 2 has been amended to correct some minor grammatical errors. No new matter has been introduced.

#### Conclusion

In the event there are any matters remaining in this application, the Examiner is invited to contact Mr. Joseph A. Kolasch, Registration No. 22,463 at (703) 205-8000 in the Washington, D.C. area.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the application by this Amendment.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any